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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107

CERTIFIED MAIL  
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In Reply Refer To: 3HW12

Bethlehem Mines Corp.  
c/o William Spooner  
Manager/Operator  
Hanover Lime & Stone  
RD 5 P.O. Box 468  
Hanover, PA 17331

Re: Keystone Sanitation Landfill  
Adams County, Pennsylvania  
(See enclosed location map)

Dear Mr. Spooner:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is currently investigating the source, extent and nature of the release or threatened release of hazardous substances into the environment on or about the Keystone Sanitation Landfill in Adams County, Pennsylvania. The Keystone Sanitation Landfill, located near the Pennsylvania - Maryland border, has operated as a private landfill since 1967. This investigation involves an inquiry into the generation, storage, treatment, transport and disposal of hazardous substances that have been or threaten to be released from the site.

Pursuant to the authority of Section 104(e) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), 42 U.S.C. §9604(e), as amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA), P.L. 99-499, and Section 3007 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), 42 U.S.C. §6927, you or your company is requested to respond to the request for information set forth in this letter. Your response must furnish all information and documents in your possession, custody or control, which concern, refer, or relate to hazardous substances as defined by Section 101(14) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §9601(14). If documentation supporting your response to this information request is not available, please identify the individual making such determination and provide EPA with their telephone number.

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